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For: SHOE HAVING A FABRIC OUTSOLE AND MANUFACTURING PROCESS
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LETTER

December 31, 2002

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Sir:

On November 12, 2002, Applicants submitted an After Final Amendment.

Applicants submit herewith a copy of the After Final Amendment that was mailed to the

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Applicants resubmit a copy of the After Final Amendment for prompt consideration by the Examiner.

It is believed that no fee is due because the After Final Amendment submitted on November 12, 2002 was timely submitted and due to no fault by the Applicants, the After Final Amendment has not been delivered to the Examiner as of this date. As Applicants responded timely, no fee is due with the present submission as this is merely a copy of what has previously been submitted. If for some reason, the USPTO believes that fees or charges are due in connection with the above-identified matter, authorization is hereby given to charge our U.S. Patent Office Deposit Account No. 04-0100.

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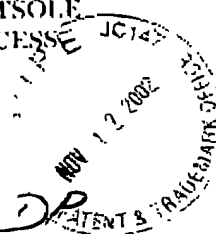
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In response to the Final Office Action dated October 16, 2002, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks for the Examiner's consideration.

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